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TRAVELERS INDEMNITY CO., and
ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY,
Successor in Interest to Zurich Insurance Company, US Branch
(collectively on behalf of their insured RICH-TEX, INC.)

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

CHARLES P. LOCKETT and DORI
LOCKETT,

Plaintiffs.

V.

A.O. SMITH CORPORATION, et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO.: 3:14-cv-00379-CRB

Assigned to: Hon. Charles R. Breyer

ORDER DENYING INTERVENORS'
APPLICATION FOR ORDER EXCUSING
LEAD TRIAL COUNSEL FROM
PERSONALLY ATTENDING INITIAL CASE
MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

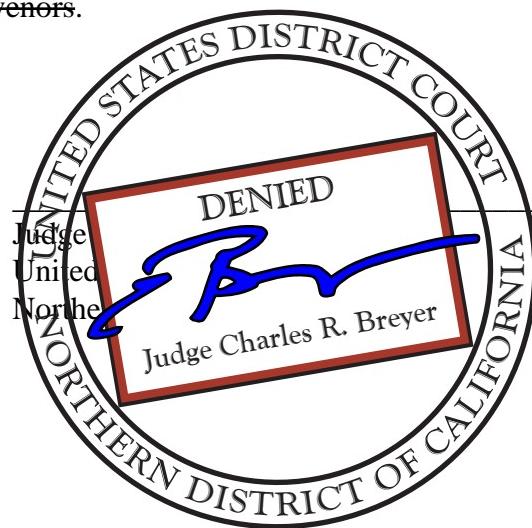
Complaint Filed: July 9, 2013
Trial Date: None Set

Having reviewed the Application by Intervenors HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, WEST AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, SAFECO INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, TRAVELERS INDEMNITY CO., and ZURICH AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, Successor in Interest to Zurich Insurance Company, US Branch (collectively, "Intervenors") ~~for an order excusing its lead trial counsel, Michael J. Boland, from~~

1 personal attendance at the Initial Case Management Conference scheduled for May 16, 2014,
2 including the Declaration of Michael J. Boland filed in support thereof, and good cause
3 appearing—namely that lead trial counsel has a conflicting trial in the California Superior Court,
4 City and County of San Francisco, lead trial counsel is excused from personally attending the
5 May 16, 2014 Case Management Conference. Stephen E. Carlson may attend the Case
6 Management Conference on behalf of Intervenors.

7 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

8 Dated: May 8, 2014



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